

like that just because there is a Gold Mines in K.G.F. and B.E.M.L. factory the whole district cannot be considered as forward. Let us await the decision of the Government of India. Certainly the State Government can notify certain areas as backward. I will definitely examine Hosanagar. But let me again make it clear that to declare a particular village or Taluk as backward, we have to take into consideration the factors like population per capita income, railway facilities etc. If I mention only one place as backward and no industrialist go what should I do ?

SRI VEERAPPA MOIL:—Apart from the fact that the Government of India have to declare a district as backward to extend some benefits the State Government is giving certain subsidies and other facilities to certain areas. In view of the fact that the Hon. Minister is convinced that certain Taluks are backward and that have recommended to the Government of India to treat them as backward, will the Government of India notifies those areas as backward, would the Government extend the State facilities and solve the problem of area like Hosanagar?

SRI AZEEZ SAIT:—Sir, I cannot commit straightaway about Hosanagar Taluk. But, in view of what has been expressed by the hon. member, I will give a new look. I am not in favour of notified areas I think the hon. member will agree with me because he is an ex-Minister. In Mangalore we have notified certain areas and in those areas we have declared to give certain concessions. But some of the industries cannot come up in the notified areas because of pollution. I am having a rethinking to declare the taluk itself as a backward area.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಎಂ. ಶೇರ್ವಾಂ ಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರ್. —ನಾನು ನನ್ನ ಅವಕಾಶ ಉತ್ತರವಾಗಿ ಒಬ್ಬಾದ ಪ್ರದೇಶವೆಂದು ತೀವ್ರಾನಿಕಲು ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವ ಯಾವ ಗುಣಾವಳಿ ವಿರಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಅಂಶಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೀರೆ. ಈ ಎಲ್ಲ ಗುಣಾವಳಿ ವನ್ನು ಅಳವಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಹೂಸ ನಗರವನ್ನು ಪತ್ತಕೆ ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ಪ್ರದೇಶವೆಂದು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸಬಾರದು ಹಂತ್ತು ಪತ್ತಕೆ ಶಿಥಾರದು ಮಾಡಬಾರದಂದು ಕೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

SRI AZEEZ SAIT:—Sir, again the hon. member is beating above the bush. I have already stated that I cannot commit anything. I havnt not closed my mind; my mind is open. Let me not commit anything at this stage.

Service Benefits to the Teachers and Employees of Private High Schools

435. SRI S. H. S. BAKSHI (Bijapur)---Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state,—

(a) whether there is any proposal before Government to extend the following benefits to the teachers and employees of Private High Schools in the State;

- (i) Gratuity of 16½ per cent pay after retirement as allowed to Government teachers;
- (ii) surrender leave salary facilities ;
- (iii) family benefit scheme ;
- (iv) pay scales on par with Government High School teachers and the staff.

SRI B. SUBBAYYA SHETTY(Minister for Education).—

(i) No

(ii) Surrender leave benefit in respect of Class IV and Ministerial staff of Aided High Schools is under consideration.

(iii) Yes.

(iv) The pay scales now paid to aided school teachers and staff are on par with Government scales.

SRI S.H.S. BAKSHI.— In answer to (a) (i), may I know why such a step-motherly treatment is shown to employees of private high schools? Government employees get about Rs. 22,000 gratuity after retirement, where employees of private High Schools get only Rs.4,000.

† SRI SUBBAYYA SHETTY.— For employees of private High Schools, a different scheme has been envisaged i.e., the Triple Benefit Scheme and under that scheme the Management has to contribute 3 per cent of the salary, and at the end of the service those employees also get almost the same benefit as the Government servants. It is not true that employees of private High Schools get only Rs.4,000 as gratuity.

SRI S.H.S. BAKSHI.— May I know why employees of private High Schools do not enjoy the benefit of surrender leave? The answer is given is that the matter is under consideration?

SRI B SUBBAYYA SHETTY.— We have asked for certain details about the non-teaching staff of aided educational institutions, and as soon as the details are received we will finalise.,

SRI. S H.S BAKSHI.—May I know why the employees of private High Schools are not getting pension benefits from 1-1-1977 though they are getting the same pay scales?

SRI B.SUBBAYYA SHETTY.— That is a different question altogether.